

MINUTES OF THE MEETING NO. 05 (2019-20) OF EXPORT FACILITATION COMMITTEE (EFC)
HELD ON 22.08.2019 at 3:30 PM AT UDYOG BHAWAN, NEW DELHI

Meeting No. 05 (2019-20) of EXIM Facilitation Committee (EFC) held under the Chairmanship of Shri Vijay Kumar, Addl. DGFT on 22.08.2019 at 3:30 PM in Room No. 4, H-Wing, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi to consider the applications for export of 'restricted' items.

2. The following members attended the meeting:-

- (i) Shri R. K. Sinha, Deputy Secretary, Central Silk Board
- (ii) Shri Anil Kumar, Under Secretary, Ministry of Silk
- (iii) Shri Adhir Kumar Mallik, Under Secretary, Ministry of Mines
- (iv) Shri Vinod Kumar, Technical Officer, MoEF&CC (SU Division)
- (v) Shri Yogesh Kumar, JSO, DoAH&D

In attendance:

- (i) Shri Nitish Suri, Dy. DGFT
- (ii) Shri Vinod Kumar Sharma, FTDO

3. Altogether 38 applications (including 25 deferred cases) were considered by the EFC, out of which 21 cases were approved, 02 cases were rejected, 01 case closed and remaining 14 cases have been deferred due to want of comments/NOC from the concerned administrative Ministry / Department or information from the applicants is awaited. The decision of the Committee is indicated in the tabulated statement given below:

DEPTT. OF AGRICULTURE COOPERATION AND FARMES WELFARE (DoAC&FW) (Seed Cases)

S. No.	Name of the Firm and File No.	Product Quantity and FOB Value	Date of receipt of application	Decision of EFC / remark
1.	M/s Sagoma Impex Pvt Ltd., Gujarat F.No - 01/91/110/195/AM19/EC	6 MT onion seeds	17.01.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAC&FW. Department of Agriculture has been requested to provide inputs/comments on the request of firm, duly forwarded by DGFT on 17.01.2019.
2.	M/s Syngenta India Limited, Pune F. No. 01/91/110/218/AM19/EC	4.250 MT of Rice Seeds	28.02.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-124/2019 – SD.IV (244 th EXIM – 28) dated 31.07.2019 for export of 4250 MT of Rice Seeds to Philippines, Bangladesh, Vietnam, Pakistan, Italy, Myanmar and Nepal.
3.	M/s VNR SEEDS PRIVATE	1. RICE PADDY SEEDS -	03.05.2019	Approved as per the NOC

	LIMITED RAIPUR, CHHATTISGARH 01/21/101/50023/AM20/	15126 PADDY 100.000 K.G 2. RICE PADDY SEEDS - 9570 PADDY 100.000 K.G 3. RICE PADDY SEEDS - 12686 PADDY 100.000 K.G 4. RICE PADDY SEEDS - 15144 PADDY 100.000 K.G 5. RICE PADDY SEEDS - 15233 PADDY 100.000 K.G		received in the meeting from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-123/2019-SD.IV (243 rd EXIM - 4) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 500 Kg Rice (Paddy) Hybrid Seeds to Philippines
4.	M/s VNR SEEDS PRIVATE LIMITED RAIPUR, CHHATTISGARH 01/21/101/50037/AM20/	1. HYBRID RICE SEEDS VNR 9570 PADDY 180000.000 K.G	17.05.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM NO. 1-123/2019-SD.IV (243 rd EXIM - 9) dated 31.07.2019 for export of 1,80,000 Kg Rice (Paddy) Hybrid Seeds to PT. Dupont, Indonesia.
5.	M/s 5P HORTIPLEX, , COIMBATORE / TAMIL NADU 01/21/101/50032/AM20/	1. SEEDS - SANTALUM ALBUM (SANDAL WOOD TREE) SEEDS - SANTALUM ALBUM (SANDAL WOOD TREE) 200.000 K.G	11.05.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAC&FW.
6.	M/s 5P HORTIPLEX, , COIMBATORE / TAMIL NADU 01/21/101/50047/AM20/	1. CASHEW NUT SEEDS CASHEW NUT SEEDS 600.000 K.G	27.05.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM NO. 1-123/2019-SD.IV (243 rd EXIM - 13) dated 31.07.2019 for export of 600 Kg Cashew Nut / Anacardium Occidental Seeds to Uganda.

7.	M/s MALAV SEEDS PVT.LTD., , RATLAM, M.P. 01/21/101/50075/AM20/	1. ONION SEED VARIETY-BOMBAY RED 25000.000 K.G 2. HYBRID ONION SEED VARIETY-ROSE DIAMOND 700.000 K.G 3. HYBRID ONION SEED VARIETY-RAMBO 1500.000 K.G 4. HYBRID ONION SEED VARIETY-GOLDEN BALL 2000.000 K.G 5. ONION SEED VARIETY RED WONDER 7000.000 K.G	12.07.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM NO. 1-123/2019- SD.IV (243rd EXIM – 6) dated 31.07.2019 for export of 36,200 Kg of Onion Seeds to UAE.
8.	M/s SEEDWORKS INTERNATIONAL PRIVATE LIMITED MEDCHAL,TELANGANA 01/21/101/50039/AM20/	1. PADDY ORIZA SATIVA TH 82 HYBRID 400000.000 K.G 2. PADDY ORIZA SATIVA US 88 HYBRID 200000.000 K.G	21.05.2019	Approved as per NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM NO. 1-123/2019- SD.IV (243rd EXIM – 10) dated 31.07.2019 for export of 6,00,000 Kg of Rice (Paddy) Hybrid Seeds to Philippines.
9.	M/s NATH BIO-GENES (INDIA) LTD. AURANGABAD, MAHARASHTRA. 01/21/101/50038/AM20/	4000 kg Onion Seeds Dark Red and Light Red	18.05.2019	Approved as per NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-124/2019- SD.IV (244th EXIM – b (v) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 4000 Kg Onion Seeds to Bangladesh.
10.	M/s PHI Seeds Pvt Ltd., Telangana F.No 01/21/101/50077/AM20/EC	200000 Kg Hybrid Rice Paddy Seeds	24.07.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-124/2019- SD.IV (244th EXIM – 11) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 2,00,000 Kg Pioneer Brand Hybrid Rice (Paddy) Seeds to Philippines.
11.	M/s PHI Seeds Pvt Ltd., Telangana F.No 01/21/101/50078/AM20/EC	100 Kg Hybrid Rice Paddy Seeds	24.07.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-124/2019- SD.IV (244th EXIM – 10) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 100 Kg Pioneer Brand Hybrid Rice (Paddy) Seeds to Bangladesh.
12.	M/s PHI Seeds Pvt Ltd., Telangana	10 Kg Hybrid Rice Paddy Seeds 27P37	24.07.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-124/2019-

	F.No 01/21/101/50079/AM20/EC			SD.IV (244th EXIM – 9) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 10 Kg Pioneer Brand Hybrid Rice (Paddy) Seeds to Cambodia.
13.	M/s GURU INTERNATIONAL , CHENNAI,TAMIL NADU 01/21/101/50081/AM20/	1. Onion Seeds (Nasik Red) Onion Seeds 25000.000 K.G	29.07.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAC&FW
14.	M/s SOMANI KANAK SEEDZ PVT. LTD. , NEW DELHI,DELHI 01/21/101/50082/AM20/	1. ONION YELLOW EARLY TEXAS GRANO (ALLIUM CEPA) 1.000 M.T 2. ONION WHITE EARLY TEXAS GRANO (ALLIUM CEPA) 1.000 M.T	02.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-123/2019 – SD. IV (243 rd EXIM – b (Viii)) dated 31.07.2019 for export of 2000 Kg Onion Seeds to Iraq.
15.	M/s UPL LTD. , HYDERABAD,TELANGANA 01/21/101/50086/AM20/	1. Hybrid Rice Seeds Golden 1 Hybrid Rice Seeds Golden 1 50000.000 K.G 2. Hybrid Rice Seeds Brac 15 Hybrid Rice Seeds Brac 15 20000.000 K.G	09.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-121/2019 – SD. IV (241 st EXIM – 26) dated 20.05.2019 for export of 70,000 Kg of Hybrid Rice Paddy Seeds to Bangladesh.
16.	M/s RAJESH KUMAR, , EAST CHAMPARAN / BIHAR 01/21/101/50087/AM20/	1. NON BASMATI RICEOTHER RICE IN HUSK (PADDY OUR HUSK) OTHER THAN SEED QUALITY NON BASMATI RICEOTHER RICE IN HUSK (PADDY OUR HUSK) OTHER THAN SEED QUALITY 6000.000 M.T	10.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-79/2016 – SD. IV (Pt. IV) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 6000 MT of Non Basmati Rice Paddy other than seed quality to Nepal.
17.	M/s PRATEEK CHANDRA PRASAD , RAXAUL, EAST CHAMPARAN / BIHAR - 01/21/101/50088/AM20/	1. Non Basmati Rice Paddy in Husk other than Seed quality Non Basmati Rice Paddy in Husk other than Seed quality 10000.000 M.T	12.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-79/2016 – SD. IV (Pt. IV) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 10,000 MT of Non Basmati Rice Paddy other than seed quality to Nepal.
18.	M/s BABLU DEY , DARJEELING, WEST BENGAL 01/21/101/50090/AM20/	1. PADDY NON BASMATI RICE PADDY OTHER THAN SEED QUALITY 5000.000 M.T	14.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-79/2016 – SD. IV (Pt. IV) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 5000 MT of Non Basmati Rice Paddy other than seed quality to Nepal.
19	M/s BABLU DEY , DARJEELING, WEST BENGAL	1. PADDY NON BASMATI RICE PADDY	14.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW

	01/21/101/50089/AM20/	OTHER THAN SEED QUALITY OTHER THAN SEED QUALITY 5000.000 M.T		vide OM No. 1-79/2016 – SD. IV (Pt. IV) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 5000 MT of Non Basmati Rice Paddy other than seed quality to Nepal.
20.	M/s GOVIND KUMAR GUPTA , (NEAR MADARSA) SILIGURI, W.B. 01/21/101/50092/AM20/	1. Non Basmati Rice Paddy (Other than seed quality) 1750.000 M.T	16.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-79/2016 – SD. IV (Pt. IV) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 1750 MT of Non Basmati Rice Paddy other than seed quality to Nepal.
21	M/s GOVIND KUMAR GUPTA , (NEAR MADARSA) SILIGURI, W.B. 01/21/101/50091/AM20/	1. Non Basmati Rice Paddy Other than seed quality 1000.000 M.T	16.08.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from DoAC&FW vide OM No. 1-79/2016 – SD. IV (Pt. IV) dated 22.08.2019 for export of 1000 MT of Non Basmati Rice Paddy other than seed quality to Nepal.

Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying

22.	M/s. Vijani Exim Private Ltd., Delhi F. No. 01/91/110/66/AM19/EC	1000 Buffalo (M&F)	06.03.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAH&D. EFC decided to issue a last reminder to the UP government for issuance of clear NOC with a copy to the applicant.
23.	M/s JAFFERBHOY SALEHBHOY & CO , MUMBAI MAHARASHTRA, MAHARASHTRA 01/21/101/50007/AM20/	1. CATTLE FEED (WHEAT BRAN) CATTLE FEED (WHEAT BRAN) 22.000 M.T	12.04.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAH&D
24.	M/s TRADE IMPEX , KOLKATA, WEST BENGAL 01/21/101/50021/AM20/	1. WHEAT BRAN WHEAT BRAN 10000.000 M.T	02.05.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAH&D
25	M/s PEDIGREESTAR EQUINES PRIVATE LIMITED , MUMBAI, MAHARASHTRA 01/21/101/50066/AM20/	1. LIVE RACE HORSES (THOROUGHBRED) 3.000 Number	18.06.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from DoAH&D
26	M/s PUNJAB RENEWABLE ENERGY SYSTEM PVT. LTD., , MAHARASHTRA 01/21/101/50085/AM20/	1. Bagasse Category Free Sugarcane Bagasse Biomass - 30 MT 30.000 M.T		Closed. As the ITC (HS), 2018 export of Sugarcane Bagasse is free and does not require licence from DGFT.

Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change

<u>27</u>	M/s ARGOS INTERNATIONAL MARKETING PVT.LTD. , SANTACRUZ EAST MUMBAI,MAHARASHTRA 01/21/101/50031/AM20/	1. RED SANDERS WOOD LOG PIECES RED SANDERS WOOD LOG PIECES 4674.790 K.G (sourced from confiscated quota of Govt. of Karnataka)	08.05.2019	<u>Deferred</u> as the information sought from the firm was received on 22.08.2019. According the application will be forwarded to the concerned line Ministry for comments/NOC.
<u>28</u>	M/s RAATI RAJAN IMPEX , KOLKATTA, WEST BENGAL 01/21/101/50012/AM20/	1. RED SANDERS WOOD FROM PATTALAND Value added products of Red sanders wood in Furniture Sizes and planks from cultivation origin 82000.000 K.G	22.04.2019	<u>Deferred</u> due to want of comments / NOC from MoEF&CC (SU Division)
<u>29</u>	M/s Indian Mineral Export Co. , Kerala F.No. 01/91/110/221/AM19/EC	5 Kgs of Sandalwood Oil for FOB value of USD 27125	28.02.2019	<u>Rejected</u> as the firm is not responsive to the query raised by MoEF&CC (SU Division) vide OM No. 5- 4/2017-SU dated 25.03.2019.
<u>30</u>	M/s DISTRICT FOREST OFFICE TIRUPATTUR , TIRUPATTUR,TAMIL NADU 01/21/101/50084/AM20/	1. RED SANDERS WOOD RED SANDERS WOOD IN LOG FORM (NON GRADE - 60.000 M.T. PIECES - 2500) 60.000 M.T (sourced from confiscated quota of Govt. of Tamil Nadu)		<u>Deferred</u> due to want of comments/NOC from MoEF&CC (SU Division).
<u>31</u>	M/s DISTRICT FOREST OFFICE TIRUPATTUR , TIRUPATTUR,TAMIL NADU 01/21/101/50083/AM20/	1. RED SANDERS WOOD RED SANDERS WOOD IN LOG FORM (C GRADE - 25.910 M.T. AND NON GRADE - 213.822 M.T. TOTAL PIECES - 10141) 239.732 M.T (sourced from confiscated quota of Govt. of Tamil Nadu)		<u>Deferred</u> due to want of comments/NOC from MoEF&CC (SU Division).
<u>32</u>	M/s ANDHRA FOGAKU PVT LTD , HYDERABAD,TELANGANA 01/21/101/50093/AM20/	1. RED SANDER WOOD IN FURNITURE SIZES AND BEADS RED SANDER WOOD IN FURNITURE SIZES AND BEADS 21.402 M.T (sourced from confiscated quota of Govt. of Andhra Pradesh)		<u>Deferred</u> due to want of comments/NOC from MoEF&CC (SU Division).

33.	M/s Gujarat Fluoro Chemicals , Gujarat F.No. 01/21/101/50018/AM20/E C	500 MT Asahiklin – 225 Feedstock	25.04.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from MoEF&CC (Ozone Cell). Since the application is pending for long, Ozone Cell in MoEF&CC will be requested to expedite comments.
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Ministry of Textile

34	M/s National Silkworm Seed Org., Bangalo 01/21/101/50028/AM20/E C	Mulberry Silkworm Eggs Bivoltine Hybrid	06.05.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from Ministry of Textile vide OM No. 25022/6/2017 – Silk dated 22.08.2019 for export of 2 boxes of Mulberry Bivoltine Hybrid for experimental rearing to Iran
35	M/s National Silkworm Seed Org., Bangalo 01/21/101/50026/AM20/E C	Mulberry Silkworm Eggs Bivoltine Hybrid	06.05.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from Ministry of Textile vide OM No. 25022/6/2017 – Silk dated 22.08.2019 for export of 200 boxes of Mulberry Bivoltine Hybrid for experimental rearing to Afghanistan.
36	M/s National Silkworm Seed Org., Bangalo 01/21/101/50027/AM20/E C	Mulberry Silkworm Eggs Bivoltine Hybrid	06.05.2019	Approved as per the NOC received from Ministry of Textile vide OM No. 25022/6/2017 – Silk dated 22.08.2019 for export of 50 boxes of Mulberry Bivoltine Hybrid for experimental rearing to Uganda.

Ministry of Ayush

37.	M/s Jagdish Commercial Services, Punjab F. No. 01/21/101/50029/AM20	150 MT Nux Vomica Seeds	06.05.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from Ministry of Ayush.
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Ministry of Mines

38.	M/s PJ Mineral International Pvt. Ltd., Orissa F. No. 01/21/101/50076/AM20/EC	5000 MT Chromite Sand	14.07.2019	Deferred due to want of comments / NOC from Ministry of Mines.
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Note :

(i) **Deferred cases :** Cases shown as **deferred** imply that approval is pending for want of comments/NOC from the concerned Technical Agencies or requirement of additional information/clarification from the applicant firm.

(ii) **Approved cases:** Written permissions for **cases approved by EFC** is issued by DGFT(Hqrs.) to the firm(s) with a copy to Regional Authority (RA) concerned, for issue of export license. The applicant are required to submit their application in e-Com system with Regional Authority concerned alongwith permission letter of DGFT(Hqrs), if not applied earlier, for obtaining export license. No fresh fee is required to be paid. Please note, as per Appendix 2K of FTP-2015-20, the fee for obtaining export license is Rs. 1000/- only (per application) irrespective of item / quantity / FOB value etc.

(iii) **Approved post-facto :** Cases shown as **Approved post-facto** implies that approval against those cases have already been issued by DGFT (Hqrs), with the approval of Chairman, EFC in terms of Para 2.51(c) of HBP (Handbook of Procedure 2015-20). In order to facilitate export, Para 2.51 gives power to Chairman, EFC to issue authorization in those cases, which have been discussed by EFC at least once in previous meeting and got deferred, and where NOCs / recommendations have been received subsequently from the concerned agency(ies) with no divergence in views. However, such cases, shall be brought before EFC in its subsequent meeting for approval on ex-post facto basis.

(iv) **Dropped.** Cases shown as **Dropped** implies that the firm is not responsive to the queries of DGFT or to the concerned Administrative Ministry / Deptt. and has not furnished documents/information/clarification as called for despite reminders. Such cases are dropped from active agenda of EFC. However, the case can be opened once the documents are received from the firm with fresh date of application.

(v) **Rejected.** Cases which are shown as **Rejected** implies that the EFC, after consultation with the Administrative Ministry / Deptt., decided not to grant authorisation due to reasons such as, proposal not supported by the concerned technical agency. No further communication will be issued by DGFT(Hqrs) in such cases. However, the firm can request for review of the decision of the Committee before DGFT.

(vi) **Closed.** Cases which are shown as **Closed** implies that the EFC, after consultation with the Administrative Ministry / Deptt. has decided to close the case due to the reason that the proposed item to be exported is 'Free' as per the present ITC (HS) Export Policy, 2018 and does not require licence from DGFT.

